

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

**Case No. 24-cv-22200-BLOOM/Elfenbein**

D.M.,

Plaintiff,

v.

NCL (Bahamas) Ltd.,  
a Bermuda Corp., d/b/a  
Norwegian Cruise Lines,

Defendant.

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**ORDER TO FILE PROOF OF SERVICE**

**THIS CAUSE** is before the Court upon a *sua sponte* review of the record. Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m) requires service of the summons and complaint to be perfected upon defendants **within 90 days** after the filing of the complaint.<sup>1</sup> Plaintiff filed this action on June 7, 2024, *see* ECF No. [1], generating a **September 5, 2024**, service deadline. A summons has been issued as to Defendant NCL (Bahamas) Ltd., *see* ECF No. [3], but service has not been perfected. Accordingly, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that, within **seven (7) days** of perfecting service upon Defendant NCL (Bahamas) Ltd., Plaintiff shall file proof of such service with the Court. Failure to effectuate service of a summons and the complaint on Defendant by the stated deadline will result in dismissal without prejudice and without further notice.

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<sup>1</sup> The 90-day timeframe does not apply to service of process upon parties in a foreign country. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m) (“This subdivision (m) does not apply to service in a foreign country under Rule 4(f), 4(h)(2), or 4(j)(1), or to service of a notice under Rule 71.1(d)(3)(A).”).

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**DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Miami, Florida, on July 9, 2024.

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**BETH BLOOM**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

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